VERY SMOOTH ARTICLE IN HIS LINE

Lung Career in Omaha Broken at Last by Chief Donahue and Detectives Heitfeldt and Donahoe.

Frank C. Ford, alias Frank Livingston, clies F. R. Henderson, daylight eneak midnight marauder and all-round crook, is back in Omaha. Ford is the name which he is best known in this city. The police have learned that his real name is Frank R. Henderson.

Fettered with chains, his hands locked securely together, and his feet manacled Hengerson and Detective Henry Hetifeld arrived in Omah last evening from Kansas Cly. They did not come unannounced, and Pierefore Detective J. F. Donahoe, who as-

Retrospectively one goes back to two Reports read from arious state camps years ago, when a mere youth dressed in show an encouraging growth of the orchance to show his attainments in the line of porter work.

Starts His Real Career.

Two months later this same youth may be found in the employ of Ike Gard, expressman, and at that time hauling the mails between the postoffice and the depots. Henderson, for it was he, took up his residence in the north end of the city. ostensibly to be in reach of his new job, and shortly after the neighborhood was set agog by the advent of a bold housebreaker, operated between the unseemly hours of 4 and 5 o'clock in the morning, and used lieu of a dark lantern a candle in a

Suspicion did not attach to Livingston, as he styled himself, and being a mildmannered young man of seemingly exemplary habits, not the least conspicuous of which was bis desire to always retire early, he was admitted into society, where his suave mannerisms and passing good looks instantly won favor.

Henderson remained in the employ of Gard for several months, and the number 'business" got to be so good that Henderson distained to do manual labor longer, and quitting his job, -he was then driving a mail wagon-he dropped temporarily out of sight, While he remained "out of several houses were entered and robbed in the extreme south end of the city, and here again the candle and the teapot played an important part, letting the police know that the same man was oper-

ating, but in another part of the city. A year and more had passed and the clever housebreaker was still uncaught. Traps were made and laid for him, but he refused to be trapped, and joked with those whom he robbed, of his ability to

Last spring Henderson robbed the home of Fred Metz, the police say, and three days later was an uninvited guest at the home of William Shields, 2124 Binney had taken from the Metz home

Long List of Burginries.

Henderson's list is a long one. The police aver that in the two years of his undisputed mastery of the situation he entered and robbed over sixty homes. While he did not amass a fortune,/Henderson secured

booty aggregating \$4,000. An interesting bit of sleuth work, for which the credit must go jointly to Detectives Heitfeld and Donahoe and Chief Don alme, begun just ten days ago, resulted in Henderson's capture. A pawn shop, Dr. Ensor's watch and a letter to a young woman at whose home he boarded just prior to his departure gave the officers the c'ue they had been looking for for two years. The pawn shop man described the young fellow who put up the watch. He was traced to the home of Mrs. Gesner, 207 Dupont, and it is said enough informs tion has been secured from this source to convict Henderson without a confession, which it is not considered probable to

secure from so wily a crook. Quick to notice that his movements were under surveillance, Henderson left the city and it was through the means of the letter written to Mary Geaner, a 16-year-old girl that he was located. Writing from Topeka he directed that his mail be sent to Argentine and it was there he was captured while asking for a letter he expected from

are inclined to connect Henderson with the mysterious letters written to Fred Metz two months ago, threatening destruction of the brewing plant unless a certain sum be left in a sack under the Sixth street railroad bridge. Henderson is known to have made a compact with Dr. Ensor to turn over the doctor's watch and jewelry on the payment of \$75, but falled to keep the same time. For man or heast. Price, 25c.

ican public school life.

JOVIAL BURGLAR IS IN JAIL his part, while the doctor, true to his word, paraded up and down B street South paraded up and down B street, South AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA Omaha, anxious only to pay the money and

secure the return of his valuables. enviable in many respects, in Utah, and during the few days he was in Argentine prior to his arrest he is said to have robbed two houses and last Friday night attempted to break jall at Kansas City by sawing the bars of his cell with a case knife. During his incarceration in the city jail he will be forced to partake of his meals in primitive style, orders prohibiting forks and knives at his mess having been

Henderson maintains a sullen silence. He will be closely guarded pending arraign-

NEBRASKA GIDEONS' SESSION

Traveling Men Who Profess Christlantry Hold Annual Convention in Omaha.

The annual session of the state convention of the Gideons, a Christian traveling clothing, etc. During the busy season at men's association, was held in the Young the yards some of the large firms keep sisted Heitfeld in tracing Henderson to Men's Christian association apriors Satur-Lincoln, from thence to Topeka and then day night. Election of state officers for the on to Argentine, Kan., where Henderson ensuing year and the reading of various was apprehended, was at the Union station | reports from the state camps was the principal business transacted at the closing Henderson terrorized Omaha in a way, session. The following were elected state for upwards of two years. He was the officers for a year: W. J. Hill of Lincoln, personification of smoothness. So smooth president; E. F. Deright, A. B. Ridgway, passage of the proposed rule, some, at he was that it was not until after his raid C. P. Michael and C. C. Johnson, vice least, of these solicitors will be thrown out on Dr. Ensor of South Omaha on or about presidents; S. E. Hart of Lincoln, Chap-November 14 last that the local police got lain; W. H. Stanley, accretary and treas-

the shabby garb of a tramp called at the ganization. The Lincoln camp has arphotograph gallery of H. S. Emory, 213 Six- ranged for a Gideon day at the next Ep- three meals a day, and issued as long as eenth street, and asked employment. He worth league assembly, when the Gideons a shipper desired to stay. By stopping did not seek in vain and was given a will have a large tent for their members. giving out meal tickets, the commission Gideons will speak this morning in the firms will save several thousand dollars Omaha churches as follows: Plymouth each year, which the restaurant keeper Congregational, H. J. Nichols and E. B. will lose, Ridgway; First Baptist, W. J. Hill and A. A meeting of the exchange will be held V. Whiting; Peoples', W. H. Stanley and on Monday at 2 p. m. for the purpose of

> H. Palmer of Chicago. A mass meeting will be held in the evening at the First Methodist Episcopal ary I, church, when C. H. Palmer, national organizer, and W. J. Hill, state president, will speak, and C. F. Louthain, the singing evangelist, will sing

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP.

some Reading That Will Prove Inter-esting to Young Mothers—How to Guard Against the Disease. Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause, first symp- into use. A good landing net costs about tons and treatment, is the object of this \$115, although nets can be bought for \$100. item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure of houses robbed increased from one a to follow. The first sympton is houseness; week to two, and sometimes three. Finally this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard aside for the purchase of a hook and ladit. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. When Chamberlain's to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croup cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy, for it contains nothing

Twentieth Analyersary of Association Will Be Observed on Tues-

ie First Methodist church, Twentieth and Davenport streets. This meeting will ommemorate the twentieth anniversary of the association and the public is cordially invited to be present. The following pro-

gram will be given.

President Mrs. George Tilden presiding:
Devotional services, in charge of Mrs. J.
J. McLain. Prayer, Rev. E. Comble Smith.
Report of recording secretary, Mrs. Edward Johnson. Report of treasurer. Mrs.
F. W. Clarke. Election of officers. Solo.
Mrs. F. C. Allen. Report of admission cimmittee, Mrs. G. W. Clark. Report of Old
People's home, Mrs. P. L. Perine. Violin
solo, Miss. Mary M. Cahill. Address, Mr.
C. C. Belden. Address, Rev. H. C. Herring. Solo, Mrs. A. L. Sheetz. Address,
Mrs. William Fleming. Membership renewals. Memorial. Solo. Mrs. A. L. Sheetz.
Benediction, Rev. J. H. Couley.

Letter Carriers Elect.

At the regular monthly meeting of Branch No. 5, National Association of Letter Carriers, held last evening the following of ficers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George Kleffner; vice president, Clifford P. Daniels; secretary, L. Jorgenson; financial secretary, Frank Fogarty, treasurer, M. A. Lundberg; sergeant-at-arms, Henry Lehman; collector of M. B. A., George Harris; clerk of the retirement association, F. H. Munro; trustees, E. B. Alexander, two years; Thomas Shillington, three years.

After eluding his bondsmen for nearly a year, John Caperall was arrested yesterday by Officer Baldwin. Caperall figured prominently in a Christmas night fight last year at 1319 Jones, where six Italians were cutting each other up when the police arrived. Caperall was held under \$500 bonds for biting off the lower part of William Bruno's lip. The fight referred to was reported to have been started over a woman, and the room in which it occurred was a scene of blood, knives and revolvers when the police arrived.

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CHANGES MEAN MUCH TO THE RETAILER

Salieltors Are Cut Off Quite s Number of Heads of Families Will Be Left Without

Business men in South Omaha are beeming deeply interested in the meetings of the Live Stock exchange on account of the propositions now before the exchange n the matter of retrenchment

Merchants say that the cutting off of soicttors will make a big difference in the sale of their products, as many of the solicitors have homes and familles here, and spend a great deal of money in the course of a year in the purchase of food stuffs, three and four, and sometimes five solicit ors in the cattle country. With thirty-nine commission firms doing business at the exchange, it is safe to average two solicitors a firm, making seventy-eight solicitors. Some persons well acquainted with the situation place the number at 100. By the of employment.

Then, again, come the restaurant keepers. It has been the custom, ever since the yards were established here, to issue meal tickets to shippers or those who come in with live stock. These tickets were for

Fred Delamater; First Methodist Episcopal taking a final vote on these two proposichurch, Epworth league, A. B. Ridgway tions, and also on the recommendation and C. F. Louthain; First Presbyterian, C. that the sending of prepals market tele grams be stopped. These recommendations, if adopted, will go into effect Janu-

Need Landing Net.

Officers of the South Omaha fire department say that a landing net should be purchased, to be used in case there should be a fire in any of the down-town buildings. As the city has no hook and ladder truck, the firemen say that the next best thing is a net. In case a fire should break out in a three-story building, and access to the fire escape cut off, the net could be brought This matter is to be brought to the attention of the council committee on fire and water at an early date.

At the time the annual appropriation was made the Fire and Police board recommended to the council that \$1,350 be set der truck. The council found that only \$18,000 could be appropriated for the fire de Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency partment, and as this sum was needed to maintain the department as it is, the purchase of a truck was considered out of the

Royal Arcanum Election.

Knoxall council, Royal Arcanum, No FOR W. C. A. ANNUAL MEETING H. Murdock, past regent; H. J. Hancock, regent; L. P. Beechy, vice regent; William P. McDevitt, orator, D. G. Sturrock, secretary; E. R. Leigh, collector; C. M. Rich. treasurer; J. W. Roebuck, chaplain; Herday Eveniag.

The a musi meeting of the Women's Christian association will be held Tuesday. December 8, at 1:30 p. m., in the pariors the Einst Mathedist church. Twentieth with H. J. Hannock alternate. with H. J. Hancock alternate.

The Ice Supply.

Little if any atention has been paid by the packers to the ice supply for 1904. One large dealer in ice said last night that his company did not expect to harvest any ice before the middle of January or the first part of February. Last year an immense nount of ice was stored, in fact enough to last for two years. A great deal of the surplus supply was shipped to Kansas City and St. Louis during the season of high water, and consequently there is not a great deal of ice left over. Packers are not at all alarmed, and are confident that there will be plenty of fee to cut when the time comes. Armours will harvest ice at Ashland, Cudahy at Seymour lake and Swifts at Cut Off lake.

Clerk's Monthly Statement.

City Clerk Shrigley has prepared a statenent showing the condition of the city funds at the close of business on Norember 30. The amount of the 1903 levy was \$150,765. With the balance from the 1902 levy and receipts from other sources the amount available for warrants at the ement of the fiscal year was \$160,-30la Of this sum there was drawn up to December 1, \$62,831, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$107,469. The only funds nearly depleted are the judgment and the curbing and paving repair. The former has only \$3.32 to its credit and the latter \$499. All of the other funds contain enough money to carry the city through the present fiscal year without an overlap.

Brotherhood of America Election.

Magic City lodge, No. 840, Modern Brothcrhoed of America, met Friday night and elected these officers: Julius Bielstein, president; Mrs. Olive Miller, vice president; Austin, secretary; William Helser, treasurer; Mrs. Garnet Wilcox, chaplain

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Miss Mildred Dunton, conductor; Mrs. Anna Heiser, guard; Fred Gougeon, sen-tinel; C. E. Sapp, physician; T. C. Allen, O. E. Bruce and P. J. Johnson trustees,

Magie City County. George Strand and wife have gone to California to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cavers entertained a number of friends on Friday evening. Special low prices on watches and rings for Christmas. Sandwall, 2404 N street. A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goss, Sixteenth and Missouri Rev. Dr. Wheeler will preach morning and evening today at the Presbyterian church.

Grace, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Sthrrock, is recovering from a

Rev. M. A. Head will preach at the Methodist church this evening. His topic will be "An Eye Opener."

Mrs. S. C. Shrigley returned yesterday from Chicago, where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall for a week.

The Knights and Ladies of Security will meet Monday night in the hall over the South Omaha National bank.

Rev. Clyde C. Cissell will deliver an ad-Rev. Clyde C. Clssell will deliver an address at the Young Men's Christian association rooms at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The Christian Endeavor society gave a very enjoyable social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Wilson on Thursday evening.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the pariors of the Young Men's Christian association. The King's Daughters of the Presbyterian church will hold a bazar on December 8 at the armory. A chicken pie dinner will be served at noon.

william H. Pound, district attorney for northeastern Colorado, with headquarters at Julesburg, was in the city yesterday, the guest of F. A. Agnew.

Arrangements have been completed for a musicale to be given by the Amphion club at the First Methodist Episcopal church on the evening of December II.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold a bazar at 434 North Twenty-fourth street on December 19. Dinner will be served from 11 a. m. until 2 p. m. on Thursday evening, December 10, the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church will give a supper at the church parlors from 5 until 7:20 p. m. Miss Dale and Miss May Lovely, assisted by Miss Cahill, a violinist of Boston, will give a recital at the First Methodist Episcopal church on Tuesday evening. Admission free. 8t. Mary's court. Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters, will meet at the hall, Thirty-ninth and Q streets, this afternoon at 2 o'clock for the election of officers.

The following committee will look after the Christmas Sunday school entertain-ment at the First M. E. church! Mrs. F. A. Cressey, Mrs. J. W. Bellany, Mrs. E. R. Leigh, Miss Mabel Thomas, Mrs. J. E. Lush and Horace T. Brass. Lash and Horace T. Brass.

Last week the Senior Christian Endeavor society met at the homb of Mrs. C. M. Rich and elected these officers: J. D. Nethery, president; C. F. Evans, vice president; Fanny D. Sage, clerk; Mabel Reid treasurer: Mabel C. Rich, corresponding secretary; W. W. Nickolsen and Harry McCandless, city delegates

STAND OF BOARD OF REVIEW

Declines to Accept Responsibility for Mistakes When Property Owners Will Not Assist.

At Saturday afternoon's session of the Board of Review the following resolution was cifered by Mr. Fleming and adopted: Resolved. That it is the desire of the Board to avoid bringing before it firms and individuals who have made a return of property sworn to, provided it signs a fair valuation of their personal party. That the responsibility for an erroneous or excessive assessment on individuals or firms who have made no returns, or who have refused to make oath to their returns, lies with them and not with the tax commissioner or Board of Review.

The only important matter considered by the board during the afternoon dealt with the return made by the American Smelting and Refining company for its local plant. After consideration it was decided to allow the valuation fixed by the company, \$700,000, to stand,



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